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LOOSEN RESTRICTIONS ON AIR FORCE APPLICANTS

Day by day the Royal Air Force grows bigger in many ways.

More schools are coming into operation, aircraft for training are being supplied in increasing numbers.

Now the expansion is being applied the recruits themselves. Taller and heavier men will be noted in the aircrew enlistments of the near future.

Regulations just announced set new maximum heights and weights for Wireless Operators (air gunners), Air Gunners, Pilots, and Observers, as well as airmen for ground duties.

Air Force authorities consider it probable that many candidates who applied prior to the recent amendments respecting height and weight and who were found unacceptable at that time, may now fulfill requirements, provided they are qualified in other respects.

For the information of young Canadians eager to join the Air Force and who may consider themselves ineligible, the following are the new height and weight regulations:

1. The maximum height and weight for Wireless Operators (air gunners) and Air Gunners are now as follows:
 - a. Maximum height, 6 feet, 3 inches
 - b. Maximum weight, 210 pounds
2. The maximum height and weight for Pilots and Observers are as follows:
 - a. Maximum height, 6 feet, 3 inches
 - b. Maximum weight, 210 pounds
3. The minimum height for Airmen for ground duties is five feet, two inches, except in the class of skilled tradesmen, who are acceptable at minimum height of five feet. There is no maximum.
4. The minimum weights acceptable for airmen for ground duties are:
 - 105 pounds for those 5 feet in height,
 - 108 pounds for those 5 feet, 1 inch "
 - 111 pounds for those 5 feet, 2 inches,
 - 113 pounds for those 5 feet, 3 inches.

Not long ago arrangements were made where the Canadian Legion Educational Services are prepared to provide facilities for the pre enlistment education of keen young men, qualified in all other respects than education for enlistment in the Royal Canadian Air Force for aircrew training.

Information respecting such courses is available at the Recruiting Centres of Number 4 Training Command:

1206 1st. Street East, Calgary.
Provincial Building, Edmonton
Regina Trading Co Bldg. Regina.

The combination of new regulations respecting physique, and educational facilities is expected to open the doors for many thousands of prospective airmen.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Jas. Aitken entertained at bridge last week in honor of her house guest, Mrs. Middleton, who has since returned to her home at Kircaldy.

Mr. C. Neff has been a business visitor in Chinook this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bangs Florence and Bruce Barros were Calgary and Field visitors.

Phyllis and Sidney De Maere are Calgary and Gram visitors.

Mrs. Davis and Margaret returned from Calgary on Sunday morning.

Leonard Barros arrived today from Bindloss. Miss Velma Kreller accompanied him.

Mrs. Bangs, Ruth and Ina are leaving today for a short vacation in Bindloss.

Mrs. Lee and family returned from Calgary on Monday. They brought back a 1941 Dodge 'Kingsway'.

Mrs. W. Gingles entertained the Friendly Circle at a picnic supper at the Grove on Wednesday afternoon. A most enjoyable time was spent in the shade of the trees. A very delicious lunch was served.

Don and Jack Nicholson arrived home from the Stampede Tuesday morning.

WEEK - END SPECIALS

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Wheat Deliveries

Producers should carefully study the Government's 1941 Wheat Policy to determine which alternative will bring them the best return.

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As the late summer and fall months approach, and especially if the season happens to be dry, one may expect to read in the daily press and hear over the radio of devastating fires taking toll of valuable stands of timber in all parts of Canada, including the prairie provinces.

The annual loss of merchantable timber and young trees not yet ripe for harvesting, from fires many of them caused by the carelessness of unthinking persons, is a matter which should be of real concern to every resident of the country, even to those who live in the open, grain-growing sections of the tree-bare prairies.

When a heavy toll of valuable trees is taken by flames, the loss occasioned is far-reaching. It not only represents a loss to the company or the individual who owns the berth on which the timber stands, but it means depletion of a national asset which cannot be replaced over a long period of years.

Unnecessary loss of timber is serious wastage at any time, but in a period of war when timber is urgently required for construction of vessels as a direct contribution to Canada's war effort, and for the construction of buildings to house war factories and munition workers and others taking direct or indirect part in war work in this country, the gravity of such loss, even though not immediately appreciable, can scarcely be over-estimated.

For this reason, every Canadian who takes all the necessary precautions to prevent the outbreak of fire in timber areas, is engaged in a patriotic undertaking, whether he is aware of it or not. It is the duty, the urgent duty of every Canadian whether he lives in timbered country or is a visitor to timbered country for holiday or business reasons, to see to it that anything he does, is not responsible for the outbreak of a conflagration which may be disastrous.

A Damaging Service

That forest fire outbreaks are beyond human organization to prevent and to curb and subject to extinction only by a deluge of rain, is an erroneous idea which published reports of recent forest conflagrations did nothing to dispel, according to the Canadian Forestry Association, an organization which has done much and hopes to do more to protect this most valuable national asset from unwarranted wastage.

The Association recently stated that out of more than six hundred forest fires started annually by public carelessness, a very large majority are detected immediately by the forest protection services, government and private, and are subdued with moderate loss. As the Association properly points out, little or no publicity is given to these thousands of conquests by the fire ranging forces. Only when a major disaster in a period of dry weather gets under way, with the forest floor a mass of tinder, does the power of organized protective systems seem temporarily baffled and certainly in need of the ally of rain.

"The fire ranging systems of Canada," says the Forestry Association, "are mainly well equipped and operate on modern lines. At the present time many areas are short-handed, owing to enlistments, and the job of protecting Canada's forests against devastation therefore rests upon the people who travel or work in wooded districts.

"Last year more than twenty-two hundred wholly unnecessary fires were started in Dominion forests by campers and smokers which," adds the Forestry Association, "is about as damaging a service to Canada as enemy parachutists might hope to bring about."

A Call To Arms

These statements should afford food for thought for every Canadian who is interested in the conservation of one of the greatest forms of wealth with which a beneficent Nature has endowed this country, and for every resident of a country which is pledged to an all-out war effort.

It would appear to be almost a work of supererogation to enumerate the specific precautions which should be taken by campers, visitors and workers in timbered districts to prevent loss by fire as a result of their activities. They have been published and given wide publicity with regularity and frequency by the Dominion Forestry Association, provincial departments into whose care this asset has been committed and by others. They are posted in prominent locations wherever there are trees that may be threatened by carelessness.

The odd part of it is that, despite the knowledge so widely disseminated, despite the precautions and admonitions of forest rangers stationed in the danger spots, there could be a few unnecessary fires and so much unwarranted loss as indicated by the figures.

As the Forestry Association points out the duty of exercising the utmost care is imposed more heavily upon the general public to-day than ever before in view of the depletion of the man-power of the protective services by the country's call to arms. To-day, the call to arms to prevent unnecessary devastation to forest wealth, so urgently needed in the war effort, should ring with clarity and insistence in all ears. Let all those who are called by duty or pleasure to traverse the timbered areas of the country, remember that their carelessness may make them an unwitting ally of Hitler and the Nazi will to conquer.

Judge Was Confused

Marriage License Issued In Nebraska Was Practically All Griss

Issuing a marriage license to a Sutton, Neb. couple got confusing for Judge Edgar Thompson at York, Neb. The groom's name—Martin J. Griss, 22; his father is J. J. Griss, Jr., and his mother's name was Lydia Griss; the bride's name—Eather Griss, 23; her father is P. J. G. Griss and her mother's maiden name was Christina Griss; the witnesses—Miss Taletia Griss and Jacob Griss.

Rudolph Diesel invented the Diesel motor, putting the first one into operation at St. Louis in 1898.

A minister who writes out his sermons is more apt to realize their length.

Fund Is Growing

Man Rejected By Army Medical Board Starts "March Of Dimes"

When Rupert Moncrieff of Cornwall, Ont., was turned down for active service by an army medical board, he determined to still do something to help win the war.

Six months ago he started Canada's "March of Dimes," aided by a group of friends, and to date more than 47,000 dimes have been turned over to his Finance Minister Islay at Ottawa.

His goal is 11,000,000 dimes to purchase 50 Hurricane fighter planes.

On January 1, the sun is approximately 3,000,000 miles nearer the earth than it is on July 1.

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Adrift In A Lifeboat

Bravery Of Two Little Girls Who Spent Eight Days In An Open Boat

Bravery of two little Belgian girls brightened the lifeboat ordeal of 26 survivors of the Belgian freighter Mercier as they drifted on the Atlantic for eight days after a torpedo sent their ship to the bottom.

A seaman told how Charlotte and Jeannette Biologora, aged seven and 11, came through the experience without a whimper, although one crew member went delirious and several others were in a state of near collapse.

The girls, daughters of A. Biologora, a Belgian diamond merchant, who with his wife and a son was on the ship, came to Canada in a group of survivors picked up by a freighter. Their ship was sunk on June 9.

"I didn't think children could be so brave," the seaman said. "We were all feverish from lack of water. The food and water was rationed, with each of the passengers receiving one biscuit and a little water each day. The boat leaked so that we had to keep bailing all the time."

"For two days, hundreds of sharks kept close to our boat. We scared them away with boat hooks, but they would come back."

"It was very cold, and water in the bottom of the boat made it practically impossible to rest."

"After eight days and four hours, a ship was sighted. Rockets were sent up to attract her attention. She took us aboard, but conditions were almost as bad as on the lifeboat, with no sleeping quarters and little food."

Later, the survivors transferred to a tanker and finally were brought to Canada aboard a naval craft.

Facts And Figures

Some Interesting Information About United States Hugo Bomber

Here are some facts and figures about the huge B-19 which in a recent week passed its first air test in California:

Wingspread: 212 feet.
Fuselage: 132 feet.
Height: 42 feet to rudder top.

Weight: Capacity, 82 tons; empty, 41 tons.

Bomb load: 18 tons.

Top speed: 210 m.p.h.

Cruising: 186 m.p.h.

Landing: 69 m.p.h.

Range: 7,500 miles.

Ceiling: 22,000 feet.

Power: Four 2,000 h.p. Wright Duplex Cyclone engines.

Fuel: 11,000 gallons maximum.

Normal crew: 10; sleeps eight.

Cost: \$3,500,000.

Insurance: \$1,000,000. (Premiums: \$82,000 first minute; \$3,000 for each succeeding test hour.)

Another Use For Brooms

Brooms were used to strain foods by the Hopi Indians, who held the solids of soup or stew in the pot with the broom, allowing the liquid to strain through it into another pot. The same broom was used to comb the hair and sweep the floor.

Manganese Ore

A manganese ore concentration plant located in Oriente province, Cuba, producing 360 tons of 50 per cent. manganese dross, is believed the largest enterprise of its kind in the world.

The highest, lowest and hottest points in the United States are in California.

New Air Propeller

Type Of Airscrew Designed To Improve Efficiency Of Aircraft

A "contraprop," a new type of airscrew designed to improve the efficiency of aircraft, may be fitted to Royal Air Force planes if it survives rigid tests in workshops and in the air.

The contraprop, or co-axial, an oppositely rotating airscrew with controllable pitch blades, resembles two airscrews, arranged close together and mounted on two shafts, one running inside the other and turning in opposite directions. Bench tests were started in 1939 and flight tests in 1940 but they have not been completed.

Capt. A. G. Forsyth and G. J. Smith-Bert, British engineers who developed the new design, claim it is the first controllable airscrew in the world and that advantages are obtained by using it with modern, high-speed engines.

By reducing the overall diameter of the airscrew, the developers said, undercarriage design problems are less troublesome, especially with tri-cycle undercarriages; the pull of the airscrew is true, so the aircraft doesn't attempt to swing while taking off and there is an improvement in the aircraft's power of manoeuvre in the air.

A special arrangement, details of which are kept secret, enables one half of the contraprop to be kept working if the other is put out of action, and in effect, twin-engine reliability is obtained. Cannon can be arranged to fire through the centre of the contraprop.

Army Cooks

Are Now Commissioned Officers In British Service

The British soldier won't be able to tell the cook what he thinks of him in future—"cookie" will be an officer.

The Army Catering Corps is the newest formation in the army—so new it hasn't decided yet whether its cap badge is to be a pot or a kettle. First hint of its formation was given when the appointment of three officers to the new corps was published in the London Gazette.

The A.C.C. has been created to ensure that the feeding of the troops is given as much attention as their equipment and training. It takes over as an independent body of experts a job which has hitherto been mainly one of the army's maid-of-all-work—the R.A.S.C.

The three first A.C.C. officers were all from the Royal Artillery, but that doesn't mean the dumplings will all be like cannon-balls in future. So far as is possible it is intended to get recruits direct from civilian catering sources.

Selected men will receive commissions as second lieutenants. Serving officers with appropriate qualifications will be transferred from fighting units, and promotions from the ranks will be recommended for suitable men. The strength will be completed by the transfer of qualified army cooks.

Sir Isadore Salmon, the army's catering adviser, said of the new corps: "It was glad when the army council agreed to it. The whole object is to try to raise the standard of cooking in the army." If it does, Private Atkins won't mind if the cook has brevet rank as cook-general.

Happy Re-Union

Father And Son Meet In Britain After Joining Fighting Forces

Cpl. William Pert, of Woodstock, N.B., enlisted in the Canadian Forestry Corps and his 21-year-old son, William Jr., joined the Royal Canadian Artillery.

They went to Canadian training camps and did not see each other for months.

The first night at sea of the latest contingent of Canadian forces to land in the United Kingdom, Cpl. Pert pumped into his gunner son on deck. "I did not know he was coming over and he did not know I was," said the father. "What a reunion! What a break!"

Gifts For Red Cross

The King and Queen and other members of the royal family arranged extensive gifts from personal properties for a Red Cross sale expected to net £100,000 (\$445,000).

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Fresh interest is reported in official circles in the project of manufacturing industrial alcohol from wheat or sugar beets in Canada as a wartime plan to enlarge the farm market and to cut down the foreign exchange drain involved in importing large amounts of aviation fuel.

An experienced Polish technician is reported to be in consultation with government officials regarding prospects of a new Canadian power alcohol industry, and unofficial reports indicate that the idea is feasible. However, the national chemurgic committee of the Canadian chamber of commerce recently reported that production of power alcohol would have to be subsidized by the government. Its report calculated that a 20 per cent. mix of wheat alcohol in the annual Canadian consumption of 800,000 gallons of gasoline would require between 4,000,000 and 50,000,000 bushels of wheat.

The new line of inquiry is directed to use of screenings at country and terminal elevators and low grades of wheat. One report, not immediately confirmed, is that a pilot plant may be built at a location to be selected in the west, the funds being provided as a war project.

Government officials agree with the national chemurgic committee's warning that extravagant claims have been made for power alcohol from farm products, but the feeling persists that a great deal more research should be done immediately, both to ease the surplus wheat problem and to conserve United States dollars.

Vimy Memorial

Canadian Memorial At Vimy Ridge Said To Be Still Intact

The air ministry news service quoted a 22-year-old Canadian pilot, Flying Officer Jack Charles, of Lashburn, Sask., as saying on his return from a Royal Air Force fighter command sweep over northern France that the Canadian memorial at Vimy Ridge is still standing.

The airman, son of a Canadian pilot in the Royal Flying Corps in the first Great War, said he saw the memorial from a height of 10,000 feet when visibility was almost limitless. The flyer said: "I saw the two pylons of the memorial standing out clear and white. As far as I could see from 10,000 feet, the memorial was undamaged."

"Both pylons looked quite clean and I could see shadows cast by the sun. The memorial looked exactly as it was when I used to see it from the air during the early months of the war."

The memorial was reported damaged during the German invasion of France last year, but definite information was never obtained.

Making Progress

Canada Is Producing Large Supply Of Gasoline And Oil

Canada is far from self-sufficient in regard to her supply of oil and gasoline, but the fact that during the first quarter of 1941, we produced 2,289,671 barrels of crude petroleum and natural gasoline as compared with only 1,712,576 barrels during the same period of 1940 seems to indicate that we are making some progress in that direction.

Maps Were Seized

Netherlands colonial officials seized a variety of maps of the islands from the luggage of about 700 German women and children who sailed from Batavia, Netherlands East Indies, for Kobe on the chartered Japanese liner Asama Maru.

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To Be Expected

Chemist Says Nazis Would Take Food Sent To Europe

Mr. Hoover's project for feeding the Belgians under controls that, he claims, will guard against the siphoning of the food by the Nazis, gets a hard blow from an unexpected quarter. Lars Moen, the American chemist, who was in Belgium during the first six months of its occupation, says in his just-published book not only that no such control could be exercised but that from what he was told by "scores of Belgians in all walks of life" a major part of the food sent to Belgium from America from 1914-18 and distributed under the watchful eye of Mr. Hoover himself was divided to feed the German army of occupation.

As for Mr. Hoover's present scheme, Mr. Moen writes: "I have never talked with a Belgian who believed, seriously, that the occupied areas could be fed without a great deal, and perhaps the lion's share, going to their new masters." Nor does Mr. Moen think that the presence of American relief workers in Belgium, which is an essential part of the plan, would be permitted. "From the German point of view," he says, "they would be bringing subversive ideas with them."—Winnipeg Free Press.

Gave Demonstration

French-Canadians Show British Home Guards Their Weapon Tricks

Helping home guards with defence problems, a company from the 2nd division of French Canadian volunteers gave 300 members of Britain's huge civilian army a demonstration in use of platoon weapons, firing small arms and mortars and throwing grenades for several hours.

The home guards had a chance to test their own skills with live ammunition and explosives and blazed away enthusiastically, coached by the Canucks.

Under a new company commander, 27-year-old Capt. Guy Guvareux of Montreal, the French-Canadians were on a three-day training manoeuvre when they halted for a night in a valley to show the home guards their weapon tricks.

During the three days away from their regular camps, the company operated on a self-contained basis, providing its own defences wherever it stopped as well as its own rations. One of the stops was Windsor castle.

Volunteers from Germany, who settled near Bath, were the first permanent settlers of North Carolina.

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When the real world came back and Devona could open her eyes again she looked straight into Macias' quiet smile.

"That's better," he said, and one arm under her head, raised her up a little, pressed a brandy glass into her hand. "Now drink this."

Obediently, she swallowed the searing drink, felt the blood surge into her face again, felt strength returning to her trembling legs.

"Thanks," she gasped, "I—must have—fainted."

He smiled, nodded. "You must be very hungry."

He drew her to her feet, pulled her arm through his. "Come, you must eat something. Put the color back in those pretty white cheeks."

The big dining room was still virtually deserted. Macias ordered quickly, sat watching her, sipping a glass of red wine thoughtfully, as she devoured the thick steak, root vegetables, the soul-warming, savory food a waiter set before her. Careless even of what he might be thinking, she was only grateful for this decent meal she'd had in days.

"Thanks so much," she said when she'd finished. "I—told you I was—hungry."

He nodded. "You say you speak three languages?"

Some lingering premonition of danger warned her from the outskirts of her mind, but she thrust it aside, determinedly. "Yes, Spanish, French and a little Italian."

"Anything else—play the piano, dance—"

"I sing—a little. Not very well."

"Sing?" He pounced on the word. "Let me hear you. Come this way."

Reluctantly she followed him up on to the orchestra platform where a slim, too-pale young musician was thumbing through sheet music.

"Manuel," Macias called to him. "This is Miss Raebourne. I want to hear her sing. Find something she knows."

A case of singing for her supper, Devona thought wryly as she smiled at the pianist, picked out one of the sweeter popular songs she'd heard often enough to risk trying.

"O.K., sister. You set your own time. I'll follow." Manuel slid onto the piano bench.

As she sang, some of own desperation sifted into the plaintive melody, colored its artificiality with real emotion, gave a passionate depth to her tones. She'd never sung better, she realized duly. And probably never before had her whole life depended on it.

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"Different from what we usually want," Macias thought aloud, "but not bad at that. Now try something with, more—swing. Hotter—you know."

Manuel began again. A torchy song this time. One she'd never seen before. Stumbling, she did her best to follow.

"Swing it, sister. Like this," Manuel muttered, pounced out the rhythm.

"Try the chorus again, please," she begged. "I think I can do it better this time."

It was better. She hated it, but Macias smiled, nodded. "Manuel could teach you that stuff all right." He helped her down off the piano.

"I think I can use you, all right," Macias went on when they were back at the table. Calmly he reached for her slim hand, held it boldly a moment. "Would you like to work for me?"

Devona hesitated. Again the premature warning. Again she pushed it aside, drew her hand free. "Here, you mean?"

She glanced around the big dining room into the bar lounge beyond where half a dozen bartenders polished thin-stemmed glassware behind the long bar and the costumed waiters moved about emptying ash trays, setting tables, filling ice buckets.

"I think I could use you with my strolling players. The work—" He smiled slowly—"would not be difficult. I think you would like it."

Devona, still conscious of the touch of his hand on hers, was suddenly quite sure she would loathe it. But it was a job. "I'm sure I would, Mr. Macias. You are very kind to me."

He waved that aside with a shrug. "How soon can you begin?"

"Why—any time you say."

"Good." He consulted his wrist-watch. "I think I have time to help you select your costumes right now, come."

Raising his sword a hand under her elbow, steered her toward the foyer.

"Tell Joe to bring the big car around," he told the doorman.

Almost as if by magic, a big black town car appeared just outside, a uniformed chauffeur at the wheel, the doorman, all bows and smiles now, waiting beside the opened car door.

"Where are we going?" she managed, casually, as the big car turned into the main stream of traffic.

"To get you some pretty dresses to dress up in when you sing for my patrons," Macias explained, smiling. "You're going to be a very beautiful young lady when I get through."

She was, too. Even Devona had to admit that to herself an hour later as she stood before the dressmaker's long mirror. Pretty as something out of a Goya painting.

A full, many-tiered, ruffled skirt of soft red satin over layers a layers of petticoats, a snug bodice that followed the curves of her pretty bust and shoulders, a red rose tucked behind her ear, tiny red slippers to replace her rainsoaked shoes.

"There—" the dressmaker stepped back to enjoy her own handiwork. "The prettiest costume you ever had, Miss Macias. And I guess—the wrinkled little customer smiled archly—"the prettiest girl to wear it."

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Devona winced at that. Just how many girls before her had accepted a job as strolling troubadour? And just what was she getting into?

"Very nice," Macias approved, but his eyes were on Devona's face, not the costume.

Flushing, she pretended not to notice. "It is a lovely costume," she murmured, pouted again to escape the searching scrutiny of his dark eyes.

"O.K. And Miss Raebourne will need a couple of changes, so let's see what else you have," Macias ordered curtly.

In all, he bought her three complete changes. The soft red satin, a lovely white lace, a daring black net—all Spanish in style, all provoking in line.

The costumes would help her create a new personality of herself. Devona realized as she paraded peacock fashion up and down before the critical Macias. But could her singing match up?

"I'm afraid you're investing too much in me Mr. Macias," she protested, conscience-stricken. "After all, I've had no experience. Maybe your patrons will think—"

"And now—I'll take you back to your hotel. That will give you time to change your dress."

Devona, startled, glanced at him. "Change?"

"You're having dinner with me, of course. We have so much to talk over."

The big car was rolling to a stop in front of the modest Brownstone now. Macias himself helped her out.

"I'll call for you about 8:30," he said. "You'll be ready?"

He made it a question, but Devona realized only too well that it was actually a command.

"Yes, thank you," she said and escaped into the Brownstone's dim lobby.

As she passed the desk the room clerk, wreathed now in smiles, bowed slavishly.

From now on he realized as the elevator bore her swiftly up to the haven of her tiny, draw room on the tenth floor, things were going to be different. Just how different she could only guess.

And somehow the guessing frightened her. Only too well aware of the subtle change in Macias since she'd denied any further connection with Dale Brasher, she realized this was a real test of her self-sufficiency. She'd have to watch her step. Macias' every gesture—the touch of his hand, the soft overtones in his voice that didn't half hide the insinuations his eyes made so boldly—everything told her that.

Tired, and suddenly agitated at the prospect looming ahead, Devona closed her door, locked it securely. As if to insure these last moments of freedom.

Devona dressed carefully. She'd learned that much about her future employer from their visit to the customer's this afternoon. He was infatuated by clothes and colors and fabrics. Almost feminine in his attention to detail.

To-night, the wine-red velvet, symbol now of the naive hopes she'd once cherished, would be a disguise for Douglas Raebourne's daughter—a costume for Devona, career girl!

Macias must never know that she feared, dreaded even, this—

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The telephone at her bedside jangled imperiously. Drawing a deep breath, she answered.

"A gentlemen waiting in the lobby for you, Miss Raebourne," the room clerk's oily courtesy whining over the wire.

"Thank you"—crisply. "Ask him to wait. I'll be down in a moment."

Just one more moment, she said as she replaced the receiver. Just long enough to pull on her long white gloves, dust the powder puff over her nose, push back the nervousness that worried at her.

She'd see this through, she told herself as she walked to the elevator, then as the cage bore her swiftly down to the lobby, her heart sank with a rush. Face what? If she only knew. What terrible endurance test life had laid in store for her now!

(To Be Continued)

Food Parcels

Parcels For Australian Prisoners Of War To Be Shipped From Canada

The Canadian Red Cross Society, at the direct request of the Australian Red Cross in Melbourne, is to pack and ship five thousand prisoner of war food parcels each week for Australian soldiers captured by the enemy in the East, Dr. Fred W. Routley, National Commissioner, announced.

This undertaking has been undertaken by the Canadian Red Cross because of the difficulties of shipping in the East. The Australian society will pay the costs.

The Australian parcels will be packed in Montreal where a building and equipment will be in operation within three weeks, Dr. Routley said. The Canadian Red Cross will then ship the five thousand parcels each week to Lisbon along with the ten thousand food boxes the Canadian Society sends weekly to British prisoners of war in Germany.

The five thousand food parcels are no indication of the number of Australians taken prisoners of war, Dr. Routley said. The Australian Red Cross, through their Secretary-General, Alfred G. Brown, has set this figure until the exact number of their prisoners is established.

Planes Set Up Quickly

U.S. Machines Ready For Air Eleven Hours After Reaching Egypt

It takes six men roughly eleven hours to get one of the new United States Tomahawk fighter planes out of the wrappings, assembled and ready for the takeoff.

Under the eye of American technical experts sent to the Middle East to supervise this work, Royal Air Force assembly crews now are getting the new machines flying almost as quickly as they are received.

Down among the date palms of this great trade artery blue-gowned Egyptians have ashore big cases turned over to the Atlantic. With the tassels of their red fezzes swinging rhythmically together, they chant an interminable refrain of ancient Egypt while handling some of the most modern machinery of the Western world.

Water buffaloes wade in endless circles under a creaking wooden waterwheel within a few yards of the busy scene.

R.A.F. mechanics in oil-stained khaki shorts drive off each crate as the natives load it on a truck.

Big Gold Boom

Mining Fields North Of Edmonton Now In Heavy Production

L. E. Drummond, secretary-manager of the Alberta and Northwest Chamber of Mines, said in an interview the mining fields north of Edmonton are enjoying their "biggest gold boom in history" because of the wartime demand for the precious metal.

Mr. Drummond outlined the following developments: The main mill at Yellowknife, operated by Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. is increasing its capacity from 100 to 350 tons a day;

Pitman mines at Yellowknife is installing a 100-ton a day capacity mill;

Thompson-Lundmark of Yellowknife is putting in a mill of 150 tons a day output;

Giant Yellowknife is to turn out concentrates at a 25-ton daily rate.

Fashionable women wear at least six petticoats prior to 1900.

Two-thirds of the world's salmon comes from the Pacific northwest.

Identification Of Plants

How To Pack And Send Specimens For Examination

It is now the season of the year when many weeds and plants are sent to experts for identification. Some are misdirected. Many are badly packed. Some years ago instructions were issued from Ottawa on how to send plants for identification to the scientists of the Dominion Department of Agriculture. The following directions apply when weeds or plants are sent to the Dominion Botanist, or Dominion Horticulturist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa.

These instructions are: (1) Plants which grow wild in Canada or weeds, should be sent to the Dominion Botanist. Garden flowers should be sent to the Dominion Horticulturist.

(2) Various parts of the whole plant should be sent, including the lower leaves, underground stems or roots, flowers, and, if possible, fruits. Several specimens of each plant should be sent. Common weeds can usually be identified without the flowers.

(3) Specimens may be sent either fresh or dried. If fresh, they should be enclosed in a small tin or wooden box. Specimens may be dried by laying them between sheets of blotting paper and spreading them out flat, placing a weight on top and changing the paper several times until the specimens are dry. They should be sent between two thin sheets of cardboard to keep them flat.

(4) When there are two or more species, they should be numbered, and the sender should keep a similarly numbered set for himself. In naming them, it will be necessary to quote the numbers, as the specimens are not usually returned.

(5) Each package should bear the name and address of the sender on a slip placed inside the parcel or written on the wrapper.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

CONSCIENCE

Conscience is merely our own judgment of the right or wrong of our actions, and so can never be a safe guide unless enlightened by the word of God.—Tryon Edwards.

A good conscience is a continual Christmas.—Benjamin Franklin.

Labor to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire, called Conscience.—George Washington.

This period is not essentially one of conscience; few feel and live now as when this nation began, and our forefathers' prayers blended with the murmuring waters of their forest home.—Mary Baker Eddy.

The men who succeed best in public life are those who take the risk of standing by their own convictions.—James A. Garfield.

Cowardice asks, Is it safe? Expediency asks, Is it politic? Vanity asks, Is it popular, but Conscience asks, Is it right?—Punshon.

There is no class of men so difficult to be managed in a state as those whose intentions are honest, but whose consciences are bewitched.—Napoleon.

Latent Fear

German Troops Afraid Of The People In Occupied Countries

"The German troops are spiritually afraid of the unarmed people they rule" in Holland, Poland, Norway, Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia, says Douglas Reed, writing in the Canadian Churchman. "In all these countries," continues the writer, "and in Germany itself, are millions of men to whom the explosion of a British bomb is sweeter music."

Mr. Reed sees this latent fear among the German troops extending into civilian Germany, and believes that when Germany meets with one serious reversal, German confidence will quickly change to defeatist presentiment, forming a strong weapon in favor of Britain. This he considers especially true in view of the fact that Hitler has pledged himself to "final victory this year."—St. Thomas Times Journal.

Home For Sailors

Plans for the Navy League of Canada for erection of a new sailors home, to be known as the Allied Merchant Seamen's Club, were approved by city council at Halifax.

Husband: "If you knew how to cook we'd save money."

Wife: "And if you knew how to save money we would keep a cook."

Average length of silk in a silkworm cocoon is 1,526 feet, or more than one-quarter mile.

Thirty-four of the 56 signers of the U.S. Declaration of Independence of 1776 were lawyers.

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The fateful surprise cards are next, the top three after another shuffle. The Five of Diamonds means big news, the Two of Hearts a proposal, the Four of Diamonds a raise.

In other cards in the "Birth Day Fortune" you may find an Ace of Hearts, a new house; a Nine of Clubs, a pleasure trip. But may there be none of such and fellows as the Two of Clubs, a disappointment.

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The following booklets are also available at the 50¢ each:

183—"Self-Instruction in Short-hand"

184—"How to Correct Tennis Form"

184—"Games and Stunts for Two"

145—"Overcoming 'Nerves' and Every-Day Health Problems"

121—"Good Table Manners"

118—"How To Improve Your Vocabulary"

Captains of The Clouds

New Motion Picture Will Feature Royal Canadian Air Force

The Royal Canadian Air Force announced a series of words from Hollywood that personnel from the movie capital, taking part in production by Warner Brothers Inc., of a moving picture based on the Royal Canadian Air Force, are leaving for Canada.

The picture, to be called Captains of The Clouds, will feature Roy C. A.F. and the British Commonwealth air training plant.

James, Cagney, George Brent and Dennis Morgan will have leading roles. Some sequences will be made at North Bay and Trenton, Ont., and some in Ottawa.

The script was written by the Canadian author Norman Reilly Raine.

Quail roost in star formation with their heads pointing out, and, when flushed, they take off in all directions.

When bees started a honeycomb in a control box, telephone service in a Connecticut town was disrupted.

The ancient Romans divided precious stones into male and female, according to their depth of color.

Prized hunting rifles have been turned over to anti-particulate troops by King George of England.

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SEEDTIME HARVEST
By Dr. K. V. Nealey
Director, Agricultural Experiment Station
North-West Line Elevator Association
Summerfallow

It is a well-known fact that even in the wettest districts, some farms are clean. On May 30, I took a short drive through a district north of Winnipeg. Very heavy infestations of sow thistle, blue lettuce, leafy spurge, quack grass, stinkweed and a variety of annuals were prominent. However, there were two farms on which scarcely a weed was to be found, and the owners or operators there not just lucky.

If a farm is clean, weed-free seed must have been used, and wise tillage practices followed. Wise tillage practices include timely and thorough fall and spring cultivation and careful summerfallowing.

At this time of year weeds grow very rapidly. Delayed operations often lead to plowing under a new crop of weed seeds—a dangerous form of insanity. If the summerfallow is to be plowed, it should either be plowed early or surface-till in May and early June. "Flows" fallows must be tilled often enough to prevent annual weeds from setting seed.

There are many farms in the prairie provinces so infested with perennial weeds that eradication would cost more than the land is now worth. If we are not careful, there will be many more.

Weeds delivered to any grain buyer of the line elevator companies sponsoring this Agricultural Department will be forwarded to us for identification. Specimens may also be sent to Dominion Experimental Stations or Provincial Departments of Agriculture.

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DISTRIBUTION SOON ON WHEAT BONUS

First returns from wheat, or more precisely for not growing wheat, will soon be coming to bolster agricultural Alberta's bankroll.

This week municipal officials said they were well-supplied with forms and prepared to take the final declaration from farmers seeking benefits of the Dominion's acreage bonus plan.

Once these are completed and approved they will be rushed through and payment made as soon as possible. The operation, however, will not be put through quite as speedily as that.

According to the latest information received from directing authorities every farm whose owner or operator seeks bonuses for acreage taken out of feed and planted in coarse grains or grass, or put into summerfallow, will be field inspected.

Then, if the inspector is satisfied that everything is in order, the final statement will be decorated with the approved stamp. If not, there may be some extensive explanations and juggling of figures to get the plan in proper order.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. H. D. Connor returned from Calgary on Tuesday morning.

Mr. J. Vallance returned on Tuesday from a visit to Calgary.

Mrs. J. Long, Gordon and Donald, of Three Hill, are visiting at the Proudfoot home for a few weeks.

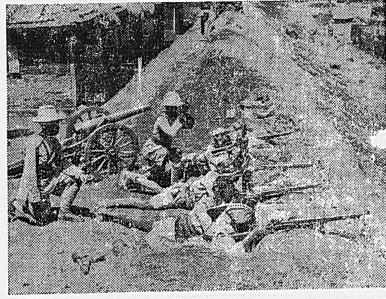
Florence and Leonard Barros and Miss Kreller are spending the day in Hanna with Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Morrison have arrived in town and are residing in the J. Cooley home. Mr. Morrison is employed at the Garage.

Mr. and Mrs. 'Bill' Anderson, whose wedding was a recent Calgary event, have taken up residence in the Wilson house.

The little girls of Chinook and district have formed a Brownie Pack. A girl, between the ages of seven and eleven who can be in town every Saturday, is welcome. Please get in touch with Mrs. A. S. Nicholson.

ABYSSINIA REGAINS HER NATIONAL LIBERTY



ABYSSINIAN PATRIOTS ROUTE ITALIANS

Patriot Forces of Abyssinia, led by their Emperor, drove the Italian Force from the Fort of Dam-bacha.

This picture shows Patriot and Suda-res troops as they guarded the Fort after they had captured it.

French River and Devil's Gap Lure Visitors



A cottage on the shore of a tree-lined lake with opportunities for fishing, boating, swimming and other warm-weather recreation provides the kind of summer holiday which is essentially Canadian. Big life in a cottage sometimes means a lot of work owing to the lack of city conveniences, which is the reason for the great popularity of such resorts as Devil's Gap and French River where visitors live in cottages which are as well served as hotel suites.

The simple life, with all the informality and ease which the expression implies, is the watchword at these two famous Canadian Pacific resorts. Mother is relieved of the cooking, daughter of the dish-washing and son of the lawn-mowing, while father dresses in his oldest and most comfortable clothes to pursue his own peculiar ideas of summer life.

There is a strong family resemblance between Devil's Gap Lodge, near Kenora, and French River Chalet-Bungalow Camp, on the Canadian Pacific Toronto-Sudbury line. In a beautiful section of lakes and forests, they offer endless possibilities for recreation. No part of Canada has better fishing, and there are facilities for tennis, golf and similar sports. Great expanses of water and wooded country make exploring a pleasure, by canoe, motorboat, automobile, horse or on foot.

Individual bungalows or cottages, self-contained and cosily furnished, have electric lights, running water and maid service.

The central chalet or lodge is the nerve centre of the community because it is there that visitors have their meals and enjoy dancing and other amusements in the evenings.

Although there are amusements for every member of the family, the most popular sport at these resorts is fishing. That is because the fishing is so good. Pickerel, pike, sturgeon, plus these scrappiest game-fish of the Canadian water-world, the muscalunge and the small-mouth black bass are found in abundance. Both districts have produced record fish, the most outstanding of which was the sixty and one-half pound muscalunge caught by J. F. Coleman, of Evansville, Indiana, in Eagle Lake, east of Devil's Gap, in 1939. That one holds the world's record.

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THE RETURN OF THE EMPEROR

Guarded by his own Patriot troops who are steadily closing in upon the disorganized remainder of the Italian Force, the Emperor of Abyssinia returns to his country.

Haile Selassie is seen here with his bodyguard and his personal priest on his journey through the jungle.

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